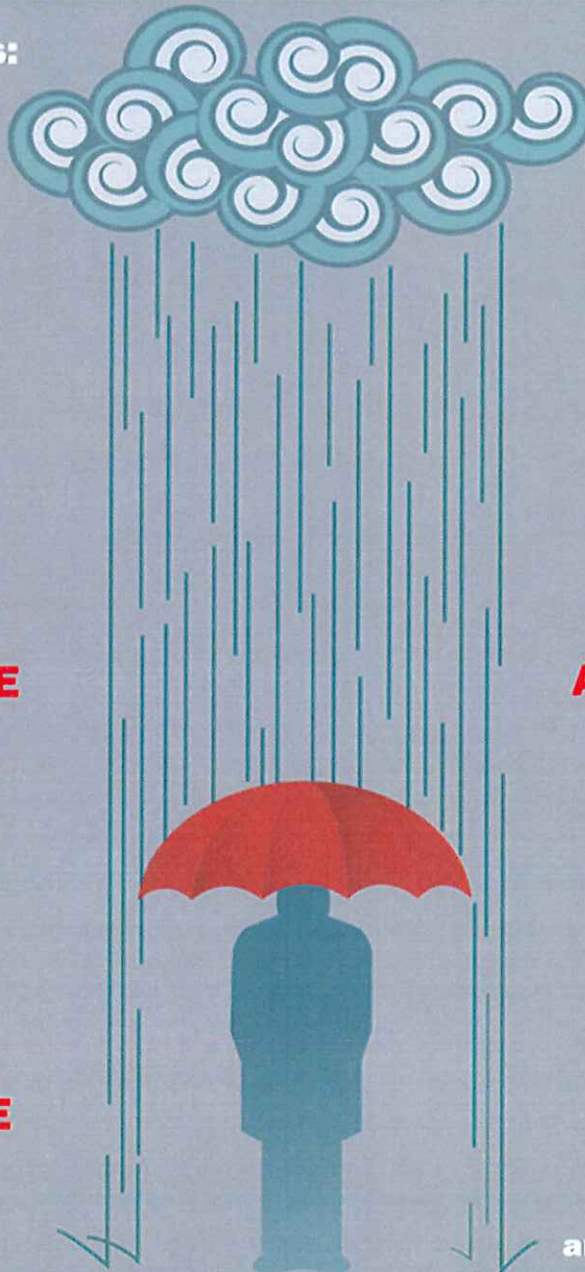


# **Suicide** Ideation and Attempts Cuyahoga County High School **Teens**

In the past 12 months:



**ATTEMPTED SUICIDE**

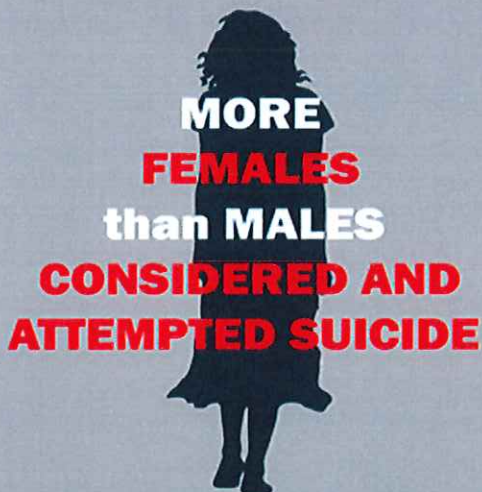


**knew SOMEONE  
who completed  
SUICIDE**

Of those who  
**ATTEMPTED SUICIDE:**  
more than



(Feeling sad or hopeless  
for 2+ weeks  
and not doing usual activities.)



**You can make a difference!**  
**For questions or more information:**

**Cuyahoga County's 24/7 Suicide Hotline**  
**216-623-6888**

**Crisis Text Line**  
**Text "4Hope" to 741741**

Data taken from the 2017 Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) conducted by the  
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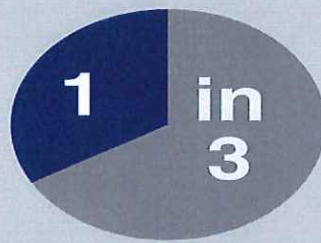
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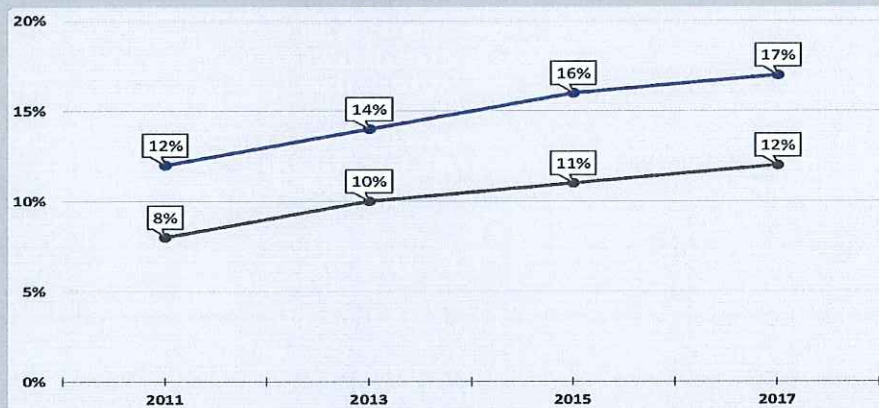


# Increasing Rates of Suicide Ideation & Attempts among Cuyahoga County Teens

Raising Awareness during Suicide Prevention Month



high school students felt so sad and hopeless in the past 12 months that they stopped doing usual activities.

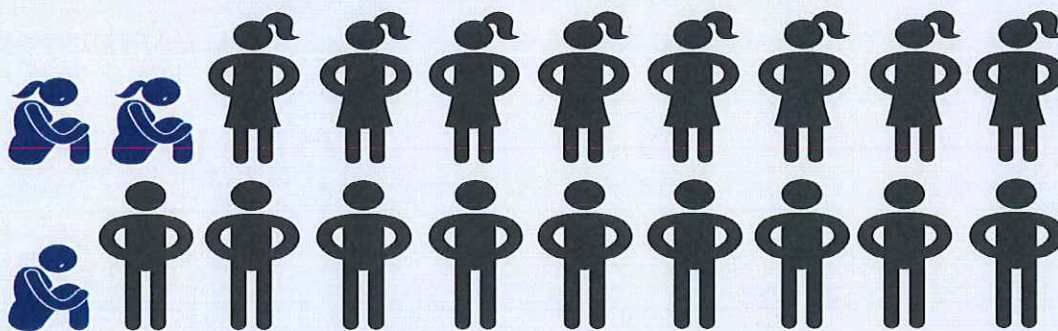


**17%**  
of students  
seriously  
considered  
attempting  
suicide in the  
past 12 months.

**12%**  
of students  
attempted  
suicide in the  
past 12 months.

**Both rates have increased since 2011.**

Nearly **2x** as many girls seriously considered attempting suicide than boys



**You can make a difference.  
For questions or more information:**

**NAMI Greater Cleveland**  
**216 875-7776**

**FrontLine 24/7 Suicide Hotline**  
**216 623-6888**

**Warning Signs and Risks of Suicide (from the  
National Alliance on Mental Illness)**  
<https://www.nami.org>

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